

## General Assembly

## Raised Bill No. 289

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LCO No. 1858

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Referred to Committee on Transportation

Introduced by: (TRA)

## AN ACT INCREASING FUNDING FOR THE TOWN AID FOR ROADS (TAR) PROGRAM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Section 13a-175a of the general statutes is repealed and
- 2 the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2008*):
- For the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2008, and each fiscal year
- 4 thereafter, there shall be allocated [twelve million five hundred
- 5 thousand dollars] twenty-five million dollars out of the funds
- 6 appropriated to the Department of Transportation, or from any other
- 7 source, not otherwise prohibited by law, to be used by the towns for
- 8 construction, reconstruction, improvement or maintenance of
- 9 highways, sections of highways, bridges or structures incidental to
- 10 highways and bridges or the improvement thereof, including the
- 11 plowing of snow, the sanding of icy pavements, the trimming and
- 12 removal of trees, the installation, replacement and maintenance of
- 13 traffic signs, signals and markings, and for traffic control and vehicular
- safety programs, traffic and parking planning and administration, and
- other purposes and programs related to highways, traffic and parking,
- 16 and for the purposes of providing and operating essential public

17 transportation services and related facilities.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following			
sections:			
Section 1	July 1, 2008		13a-175a

## Statement of Purpose:

To increase annual funding for the Town Aid for Roads (TAR) program.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]